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VIA ECFS

April 18, 2019

Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary Federal Communications Commission Office of the Secretary 445 12th Street, S.W. Washington, DC 20554

Re: Short Term Public Notice Under Rule 51.333(a)

Heartland Telecommunications Company of Iowa d/b/a Premier Communications

Network Notification 2019-1

JSI respectfully files the enclosed short-term notice of network change on behalf of Heartland Telecommunications Company of Iowa d/b/a Premier Communications. This filing is made in compliance with Sections 51.325 - 51.335 of the Commission's rules (47 C.F.R. §§ 51.325 - 51.335).

Sincerely,

Valerie Wimer Vice President vwimer@jsitel.com

on behalf of

Ryan Boone, COO Premier Communications

Enclosures

cc: Ryan Boone, Premier Communications

SHORT TERM PUBLIC NOTICE UNDER RULE 51.333(a)

Network Notification 2019-1

Date:

April 18, 2019

Carrier:

Heartland Telecommunications Company of Iowa d/b/a Premier Communications

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Sioux Center, IA 51250

Contact:

For additional information on these planned network changes, please contact:

Ryan Boone, COO

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Implementation Date:

On or after July 1, 2019

Description of Planned Network Change(s):

Heartland Telecommunications Company of Iowa d/b/a Premier Communications (Premier) intends to eliminate Premier's Ireton, Iowa, CLLI Code IRTNIAAA existing special access meet point location because the equipment is being removed/retired because it is obsolete or unsupported. The new special access meet point for CLLI Code IRTNIAAA will be a location equipped with modern equipment that is located at Sioux City, Iowa (SXCYIANJ) at 713 Nebraska St. Sioux City, IA 51103 (V&H: 06468 04767)).

Description of reasonably foreseeable impact(s) of the planned change(s):

The equipment upgrade will cause both CenturyLink (the sole directly interconnecting telephone exchange service provider) and Premier to move all special access from the obsolete or unsupported equipment to more modern reliable equipment. The current obsolete transport facilities have approximately 7% utilization. The relocation of the special access point will not require the end user customer to make any configuration changes. The current circuits will be provisioned on the new equipment in Sioux City. The relocation of the route will increase the reliability of the circuits on the route because Premier can operate and maintain its network on modern equipment and allow the use of a physically diverse redundant route. Finally, Premier will be able to retire the obsolete or unsupported equipment, some of which cannot be repaired if there were a failure.

Heartland Telecommunications Company of Iowa d/b/a Premier Communications

CERTIFICATION OF SHORT TERM PUBLIC NOTICE UNDER RULE 51.333(a)

Heartland Telecommunications Company of Iowa d/b/a Premier Communications (Premier) hereby certifies that on April 11, 2019, (a minimum of five business days prior to filing with the Commission) notice of Premier's Short Term Public Notice (Network Notification 2019-1) pursuant to 51.333(a) was served via email upon the below telephone exchange service provider that directly interconnects with Premier's network facilities at the Iowa location described in the foregoing network notification.

I certify under penalty of perjury that, to the best of my knowledge, information, and belief, the foregoing is true and correct. Executed on April 11, Zora.

Ryan Boone, COO

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